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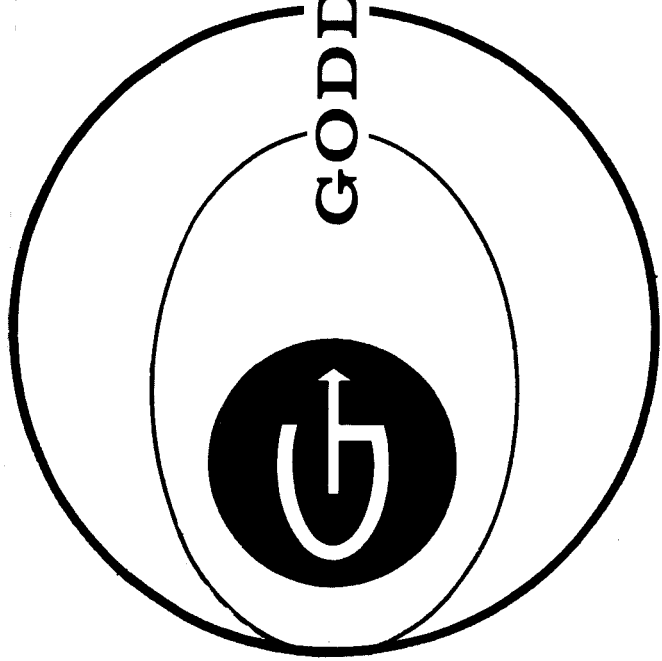
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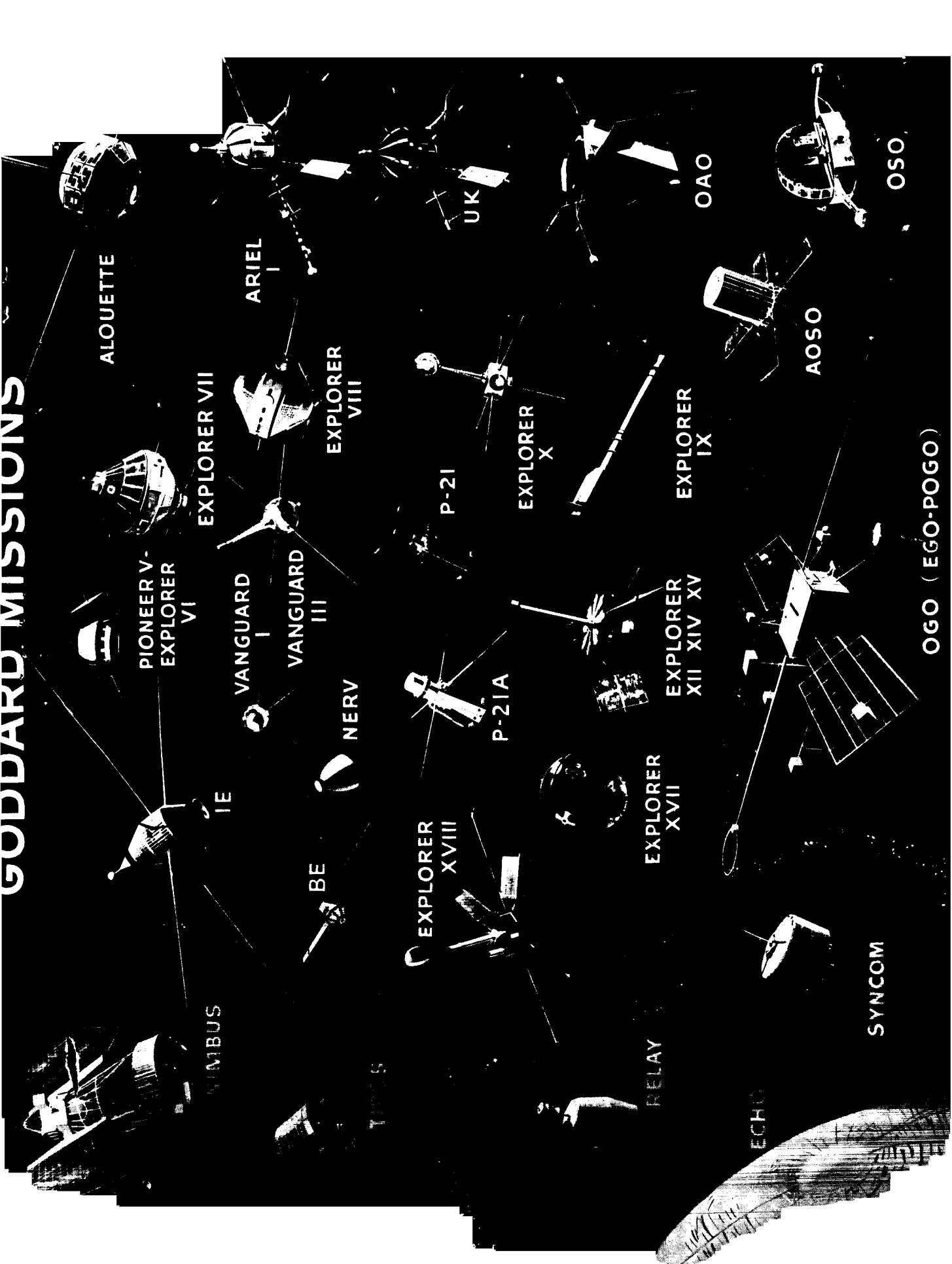
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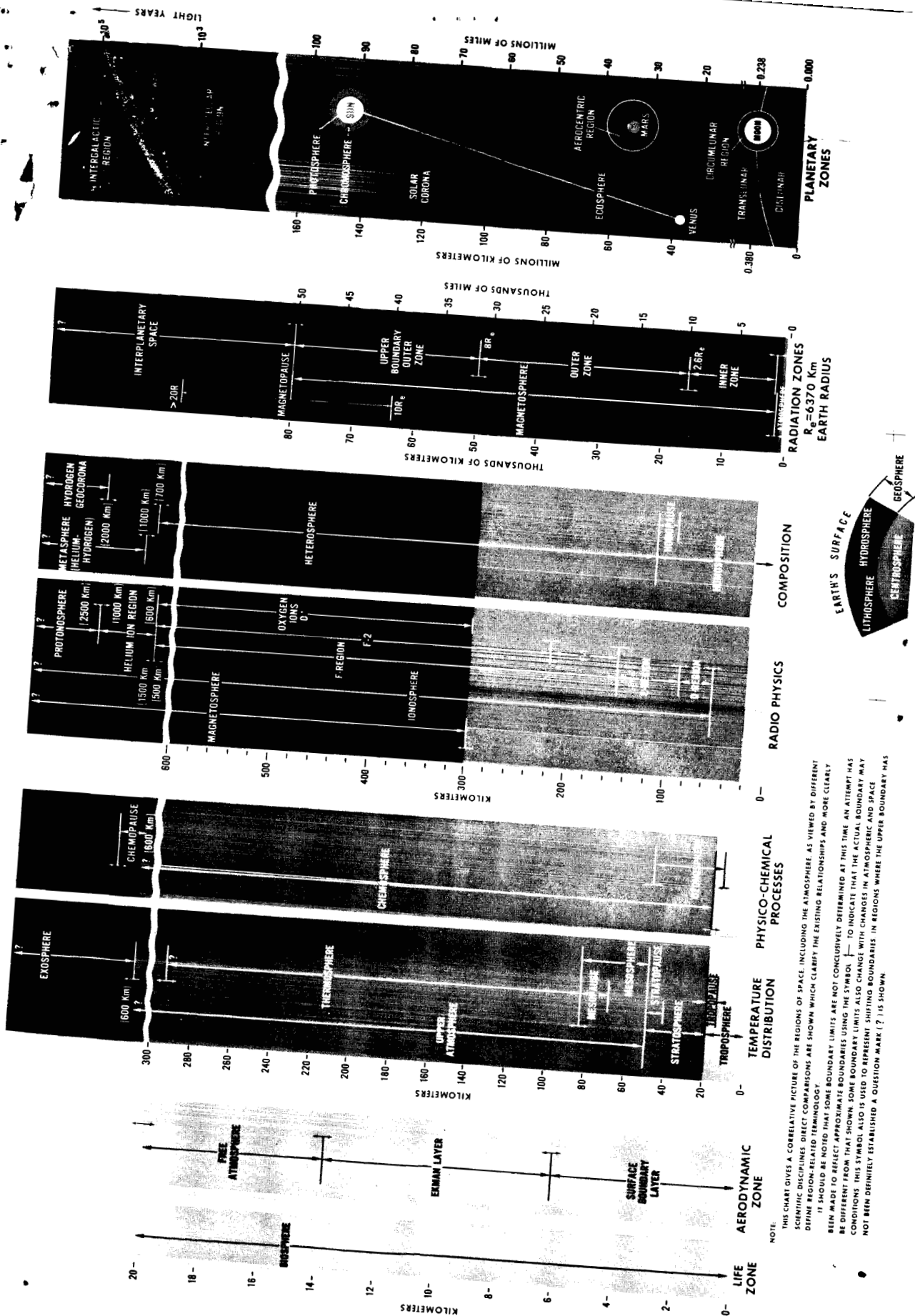
GODDARD PROJECTS SUMMARY

SATELLITES AND SOUNDING ROCKETS

A black and white collage of various NASA satellite and space mission spacecraft, arranged in a circular pattern around a central point. The spacecraft are shown in various orientations, some with their solar panels deployed. The background is dark, and the overall composition is a dense assembly of these space vehicles.



REGIONS OF SPACE VIEWED BY DIFFERENT DISCIPLINES



GODDARD SPACE FLIGHT CENTER SATELLITE AND SPACE PROBE PROJECTS

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EXPLORER VI 1959 Delta 1 S-2	To measure three specific radiation levels of earth's radiation belts; test scanning equipment for earth's cloud cover; map earth's magnetic field; measure micrometeorites; study behavior of radiowaves.	Aug. 7, 1959 Oct. 6, 1959	Thor-Able AMR	12½ hours	156	27,357	Dr. John C. Lindsay Dr. John C. Lindsay	Equipment to measure radiation levels; TV-type scanner; micrometeorite detector; two types of magnetometers and devices for space communication experiments.	Triple coincidence Telescopes—A Scintillation counter—E Ionization chamber Geiger counter—E Spin-coil magnetometer—E Fluxgate magnetometer—E Aspect sensor Image-scanning television system Micrometeorite detector—P	J. A. Simpson C. Y. Fan P. Meyer T. A. Farley Allen Rosen C. P. Sonnett J. Winckler E. J. Smith D. L. Judge P. J. Coleman	U. of Chicago STL U. of Minn. STL STL STL Cambridge Research/ STL	Orbit achieved. All experiments performed. First complete cloud-cover picture was obtained. Detected large ring of electrical current circling earth; first detailed study of region now known as the Van Allen radiation belt. Weight: 142 lb. Power: Solar
VANGUARD III 1959 Eta	To measure the earth's magnetic field, X-radiation from the sun and several aspects of the space environment through which the satellite travels.	Sep. 18, 1959 Dec. 12, 1959	Vanguard AMR	130	319	2329		Proton precision magnetometer, ionization chambers for solar X-rays, micrometeorite detectors and thermistors.	Proton magnetometer—E Ionization chambers—E Environmental measurements	J. P. Hapner H. Friedman H. E. LaGow	GSFC NRL GSFC	Orbit achieved. Provided comprehensive survey of earth magnetic field over area covered; surveyed location of Van Allen radiation belt. Accurate count of micrometeorite impacts. Power: Solar
EXPLORER VII 1959 Iota 1 S-1a	Variety of experiments, including solar ultraviolet; X-ray; cosmic-ray; earth radiation and micrometeor experiments.	Oct. 13, 1959 Aug. 24, 1961	Junco II AMR	101.33	342	680	H. LaGow	Sensors for measurements of earth-sun heat balance; Lyman-Alpha and X-ray solar radiation detectors; micrometeorite detectors; Geiger-Mueller tubes for cosmic ray count; ionization chamber for heavy cosmic rays.	Thermal radiation balance Solar X-ray and Lyman-Alpha-S Heavy cosmic radiation—E Radiation and solar-proton observation—E Ground-based ionospheric observations—I	V. Suomi H. Friedman R. W. Krupin T. Chubb G. Goetzinger P. Schwed M. Pomerantz J. Van Allen G. Ludwig H. Whelpley G. Swenson C. Little G. Reid O. Villard, Jr. W. Ross	U. of Wisc. NRL Martin Co. Bartol Research St. U. of Iowa U. of Illinois Nat. Bu. of Stan. U. of Alaska Stanford U. Penn State U.	Orbit achieved. Provided significant geophysical information on radiation and magnetic storms; demonstrated method of controlling internal temperatures; first micrometeorite penetration of a sensor in flight. Weight: 91.5 lb. Power: Solar

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DRLF Defense Research Establishment, E. R. Johnson
DSRC Department of Scientific and Industrial Research
GSCC Goddard Space Flight Center
JPL Jet Propulsion Lab.
MCC Macdonald Observatory, University of Cambridge
NRL Naval Research Council
SRL Stanford Research Lab.
STL Space Technology Labs.

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S-1a (Continued)												
PIONEER V 1960 Alpha	Investigate interplanetary space between orbits of earth and Venus; test extreme long-range communications; study methods for measuring astronomical distances.	Mar. 11, 1960 June 26, 1960	Thor-Able AMR	311.6 days	Perihelion 74.9 million from sun	Aphelion 92.3 million from sun	High-intensity radiation counter, ionization chamber Geiger-Mueller tube to measure plasmas, cosmic radiation and charged solar particles. Magnetometer and micrometeorite temperature measurements.	Triple coincidence proportional counter cosmic-ray telescope-E Search-coil-magnetometer and photo-electric cell aspect indicator-E Ionization chamber and G-M tube-E Micrometeorite counter-P	W. Dyke H. LaGow J. Simpson D. Judge J. Winckler E. Manning	Linfield Res. Inst. GSFC U. of Chicago STL U. of Minn. AFCLR	Highly successful exploration of interplanetary space between orbits of earth and Venus; established communication record of 22.5 million miles on June 26, 1960; made measurements of solar flare effects, particle energies and distribution, and magnetic field phenomena in interplanetary space. Weight: 94.8 lb. Power: Solar	
TIROS I Beta 1960 A-1	Test of experimental television techniques leading to eventual worldwide meteorological information system.	April 1, 1960 June 16, 1960	Thor-Able AMR	99.1	428.7	465.9	One wide and one narrow angle camera, each with tape recorder for remote operation. Picture data can be stored on tape or transmitted directly to ground stations.	TV camera systems (2)			Provided first global cloud-cover photographs (22,952 total) from near-circular orbit. Weight: 270 lb. Power: Solar	
ECHO I 1960 Iota	Place 100-foot inflatable sphere into orbit; measure reflective characteristics of sphere and propagation; study effects of space environment.	Aug. 12, 1960 Passive satellite	Thor-Delta AMR	118.3	945	1049	Two tracking beacons 107.94 Mc and 107.97 Mc	Communications	JPL STL NRL		Demonstrated use of radio reflector for global communications, numerous successful transmissions. Visible to the naked eye. Orbital characteristics perturbed by solar pressure due to high area-to-mass ratio. Still in orbit. Weight: 132 lb. (including inflation powder) Power: Passive	
EXPLORER VIII 1960 Xi S-30	Investigation of the ionosphere by direct measurement of positive ion and electron composition; collect data on the frequency, momentum, and energy of micrometeorite	Nov. 3, 1960 Dec. 28, 1960	June II AMR	112.7	258	1423	RF impedance probe using a 20-foot dipole sensor; single-grid ion trap; four multiple-grid ion traps; Langmuir probe experiment; rotating shutter electric field meter; micro piler;	RF impedance-I Ion traps-I	J. Cain R. Bourdeau G. Serbu E. Whipple J. Donley	GSFC GSFC	Measure the electron-density, temperature, ion density, and composition, and charge position, and charge on the satellite in the upper atmosphere. The micrometeorite	

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EXPLORER VIII (Continued)	Impacts; establish the attitude of the base of the exosphere.							Micrometeorite microphone; thermistors for reading internal and surface temperatures of the spacecraft; and de-spin mechanisms to reduce spin from 450 to 30 rpm.	Langmuir probe-I Rotating-shutter electric field meter-I Micrometeorite photomultiplier-I Micrometeorite microphone-I	R. Bourdeau G. Seibu E. Whipple J. Donley J. Donley M. Alexander C. McCracken O. Berg M. Alexander C. McCracken	GSFC GSFC GSFC GSFC	Influx rate was measured. Weight: 90.14 lb. Power: Battery
TIROS II 1960 P-1 A-2	Test of experimental television techniques and infrared equipment leading to eventual world-wide meteorological information system.	Nov. 23, 1960 July 12, 1961	Delta AMR	98.2	406	431	Dr. R. Stampf	Included one wide and one narrow angle camera, each with tape recorder for remote operation; infrared sensors to map radiation in various spectral bands; attitude sensors; experimental magnetic orientation control.	TV camera systems (2) Widefield radiometer experiment Scanning radiometer experiment	W. Nordberg R. Hanel	GSFC GSFC	Orbit achieved. Narrow-angle camera and IR instrumentation sent good data. Transmitted 36,156 pictures. Still operative. Weight: 277 lb. Power: Solar
EXPLORER IX 1961 Delta I S-56a (A project of the Langley Research Center with GSFC participation)	To study performance, structural integrity, and environmental conditions of Scout research vehicle and guidance controls system. Inject inflatable sphere into earth orbit to determine density of atmosphere.	Feb. 16, 1961 Passive satellite	Scout Wallops Island	118.3	395	1605		Radio beacon on balloon and in fourth stage.				Vehicle functioned as planned. Balloon and fourth stage achieved orbit. Transmitter on balloon failed to function properly requiring optical tracking of balloon. Weight: 80 lb. Power: Passive
EXPLORER X 1961 Kappa P-14	Gather definite information on earth and interplanetary magnetic fields and the way these fields affect and are affected by solar plasma.	March 25, 1961 March 27, 1961	Thor-Delta AMR	112 hours	100	186,000	Dr. J. P. Heppner Dr. J. P. Heppner	Included rubidium vapor magnetometer, two flux-gate magnetometers, a plasma probe, and an optical aspect sensor.	Rubidium-vapor magnetometer and flux-gate magnetometers-E Plasma probe-E Spacecraft attitude experiment	J. P. Heppner T. L. Skillman C. S. Scearce H. Bridge F. Scherb B. Rossi J. Albus	GSFC MIT GSFC	Probe transmitted valuable data continuously for 52 hours as planned. Demonstrated the existence of a geomagnetic cavity in the solar wind and the existence of solar proton streams transporting solar interplanetary magnetic fields past the earth's orbit. Weight: 79 lb. Power: Battery

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EXPLORER XI 1961 Nu 1 S-15	Orbit a gamma-ray astronomy telescope satellite to detect high-energy gamma rays from cosmic sources and map their distribution in the sky.	April 27, 1961 Dec. 6, 1961	June II AMR	108.1	308	1113.2	Dr. J. Kupperian, Jr. Dr. J. Kupperian, Jr.	Gamma-ray telescope consisting of a plastic scintillator, crystal layers, and a Cerenkov detector; sun and earth sensors; micrometeorite shields; temperature sensor; damping mechanism.	Gamma-ray telescope-E	W. Kraushaar G. Clark	MIT	Orbit achieved. Detected first gamma rays from space. Directional flux obtained. Disproved one part of "steady state" evolution theory. Weight: 82 lb. Power: Solar
TIROS III 1961 Rho 1 A-3	Develop satellite weather observation system; obtain photos of earth's cloud cover for weather analysis; determine amount of solar energy absorbed, reflected and emitted by the earth.	July 12, 1961 Feb. 1962	Delta AMR	100.4	461.02	506.44	R. Rados	Two wide-angle cameras, two tape recorders and electronic clocks; infrared sensors, five transmitters, attitude sensors, magnetic attitude coil.	Omni-directional radiometer Widefield radiometer experiment Scanning radiometer experiment TV cameras (2)	V. Suomi R. Hanel W. Nordberg	U. of Wisc. GSFC GSFC	Orbit achieved. Cameras and IR instrumentation transmitted good data. Transmitted 35,033 pictures. Weight: 285 lb. Power: Solar
EXPLORER XII ENERGETIC PARTICLES EXPLORER 1961 Upsilon 1	Investigate solar wind, interplanetary magnetic fields, distant portions of earth's magnetic field, energetic particles in interplanetary space and in the Van Allen belts.	Aug. 15, 1961 Dec. 6, 1961	Thor-Delta AMR	26.45 hours	180	47,800	Paul Butler Dr. F. McDonald	Ten particle detection systems for measurement of protons and electrons and three orthogonally mounted fluxgate sensors for correlation with the magnetic fields; optical aspect sensor, and one transmitter. PFM telemetry transmitting continuously.	Two mass spectrometers—P Four vacuum (pressure) gauges—P Two electrostatic probes—I	C. Reber R. Harowitz G. Newton N. Spencer L. Brace	GSFC GSFC GSFC	Orbit achieved; all instrumentation operated normally. Ceased transmitting on Dec. 6, 1961, after sending 2568 hours of real-time data. Provided significant geophysical data on radiation and magnetic fields. Weight: 83 lb. Power: Solar
EXPLORER XIII 1961 Chi 1 (A project of the Langley Research Center with GSFC participation)	Test performance of the vehicle and guidance; investigate nature and effects on space flight of micrometeoroids.	Aug. 25, 1961 Aug. 27, 1961	Scout Wallops Island	97.5	74	722	C. T. D'Aiutolo	Micrometeoroids impact detectors; transmitters.	A cadmium sulphide photoconductor experiment—A A wire grid experiment	M. W. Alexander L. Secretan	GSFC	Orbit was lower than planned. Re-entered August 27, 1961. Weight: 187 lb. including 50-lb. 4th stage and 12-lb. transition section. Power: Solar
P-21 ELECTRON DENSITY PROFILE PROBE P-21	To measure electron densities and to investigate radio propagation at 12.3 and 73.6 Mc under day-time conditions.	Oct. 19, 1961 Oct. 19, 1961	Scout Wallops Island				John E. Jackson Dr. S. J. Bauer	Continuous-wave propagation experiment for the ascent portion of the trajectory, and an RF-probe technique for the descent.	RF probe—I CW propagation—I	H. Whale G. H. Spaid J. E. Jackson	GSFC GSFC GSFC	Probe achieved altitude of 4261 miles and transmitted good data. Electron density was obtained to about 1500 miles, the first time such measurements had been taken at this altitude.

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P-21 (Continued)												Weight: 94 lb. Power: Battery
TIROS IV 1962 Beta A-9	Develop principles of weather satellite system; obtain cloud and radiation data for use in meteorology.	Feb. 8, 1962 June 19, 1962	Delta AMR	100.4	471	525	R. Rados	Two TV camera systems with clocks and recorders for remote pictures, infrared sensors, heat budget sensors, magnetic orientation control horizon sensor, north indicator.	Omnidirectional radiometer Widefield radiometer experiment Scanning radiometer TV camera systems (2)	V. Suomi R. Hanel W. Nordberg	U. of Wisc. GSFC GSFC	Orbit achieved. All systems operated properly. Tegea Kinoptic lens used on one camera, Elgeet lens on the other. Supported Project Mercury. Weight: 285 lb. Power: Solar
ORBITING SOLAR OBSERVATORY 1962 Zeta OSO-1	Measure solar electromagnetic radiation in the ultraviolet, X-ray and gamma-ray regions; investigate effect of dust particles on surfaces of spacecraft.	March 7, 1962 Aug. 6, 1963	Delta AMR	96.15	343.5	369	Dr. John C. Lindsay Dr. John C. Lindsay	Devices to conduct 13 different experiments for study of solar electro-magnetic radiation; investigate dust particles in space and thermoradiation characteristics of spacecraft surface materials.	X-ray spectrometer-S 0.510 Mev gamma-ray monitoring; 20-100 kev X-ray monitoring; 1-8A X-ray monitoring-S Dust particle experiment-E Solar radiation experiment, solar ultra-violet-A Solar gamma rays, high energy distribution-A Solar gamma rays, low energy distribution-A Solar gamma rays, high energy distribution-A Neutron monitor experiment-E Lower Van Allen belt-E	W. Behring W. Neupert K. Frost W. White M. Alexander C. McCracken W. White K. Hallam W. White K. Frost J. R. Winkler L. Peterson M. Savedoff G. Pazio W. Hess S. Bloom G. Robinson	GSFC GSFC GSFC GSFC GSFC U. of Minnesota U. of Rochester U. of Calif. U. of Calif. ARC	Orbit achieved. Experiments transmitted as programmed. Weight: 458 lb. Power: Solar
P21A ELECTRON DENSITY PROFILE PROBE	To measure electron density profile, ion density, and intensity of ions in the atmosphere.	March 29, 1962 March 29, 1962	Scout Wallapa Island				John E. Jackson Dr. S. J. Bauer	A continuous-wave propagation experiment to determine electron density and associated parameters of ionosphere. A swept-frequency probe for direct measurements of electron density and a positive ion experiment to determine ion concentration under nighttime conditions.	CW propagation-I RF probe-I Ion traps-I	S. Bauer H. White R. Bourdeau E. Whipple J. Donley G. Serbu	GSFC GSFC GSFC	Probe achieved altitude of 3910 miles. Afforded nighttime observations. Determined that characteristics of the ionosphere differ drastically from daytime state when the temperature of the ionosphere is much cooler. (See P-21) Weight: 94 lb. Power: Battery

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ARIEL 1 INTER-NATIONAL SATELLITE 1962 Omicron 1 (UK-1)	To study ionosphere and cosmic rays relationship.	April 26, 1962 Active	Delta AMR	100.9	242.1	754.2	R. C. Baumann Robert E. Bourdeau	Electron density sensor, electron temperature gauge, solar aspect sensor, cosmic ray detector, ion mass sphere, Lyman-alpha gauges, tape recorder, X-ray sensors.	Electron density sensor-I Electron temperature gauge-I Cosmic-ray detector-E	J. Seyers R. L. F. Boyd H. Elliot	U. of Birmingham (U.K.) U. College London (U.K.) Imperial College London (U.K.) British experiments launched by American Delta vehicle. Weight: 150 lb. Power: Solar	
TIROS V 1962 Alpha Alpha 1 A-50	Develop principles of weather satellite system; obtain cloud cover data for use in meteorology.	July 19, 1962 May 4, 1963	Delta AMR	100.5	367	604	R. Rados	Two TV camera systems with tape recorders for recording remote picture areas, magnetic orientation control, horizon sensor, north indicator.	TV camera systems (2)		Launched at a higher inclination (58°) than previous TIROS satellites to provide greater coverage. Time of launch chosen to include normal hurricane season for South Atlantic. One TV system transmitted good data for 10½ months. Weight: 285 lb. Power: Solar	
TELSTAR NO. 1 (A project of AT&T) 1962 Alpha Epsilon 1	Joint AT&T-NASA investigation of wideband communications.	July 10, 1962 Feb. 21, 1963	Delta AMR	157.8	592.6	3503.2	C. P. Smith, Jr.	The system provided TV, radio, telephone and data transmission via a satellite repeater system.	Included electron detector for range 250,000-1 Mev; proton detectors in the following energy ranges: 2.5-25.0 Mev, ranges greater than 50 Mev	W. Brown	BTL Orbit achieved. Television and voice transmissions were made with complete success. BTL provided spacecraft and ground stations facilities. Government was reimbursed for cost incurred. Conducted more than 300 technical tests and over 400 demonstrations; 50 TV programs—5 in color. Weight: 175 lb. Power: Solar	
TIROS VI 1962 Alpha Psi 1 A-51	To study cloud cover and earth heat balance; measurement of radiation in selected spectral regions as part of a program to develop meteorological satellite systems.	Sep. 18, 1962 Oct. 11, 1963	Delta AMR	98.73	425	442	R. Rados	Two TV camera systems (78° and 104° lens), clocks and tape recorders for remote operation, infrared and attitude sensors, magnetic attitude coil.	TV camera systems (2)		Inclination 58.3°; velocity at perigee 16,822; apogee, 16,756. Medium-angle camera failed Dec. 1, 1962 after taking 1074 pictures. TV camera	

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TIROS VI (Continued)											provided good data for 13 months after launch. Weight: 300 lb. Power: Solar	
ALOUETTE I SWEEP FREQUENCY TOPSIDE SOUNDER (Canada) 1962 Beta Alpha 1	To measure the electron density distribution in the ionosphere between the satellite height (620 miles) and the F ₂ peak (approx. 180 miles) and to study the variations of electron density distribution with time of day and with latitude under varying magnetic, and auroral conditions with particular emphasis on high-latitude effects. Other objectives were to obtain galactic noise measurements, study the flux of energetic particles, and to investigate whistlers.	Sep. 29, 1962 Active	Thor-Agena PMR	105.4	620	638	The satellite was spin stabilized and contained a sweep-frequency pulse sounder covering the frequency range 0.5 to 11.5 Mc. Sounder data was transmitted via a two-watt FM telemetry system. Data from the other experiments and housekeeping data was transmitted through a 1/2-watt PM telemetry system. There were two sets of sounder antennas, the longest set measuring 150 ft. tip-to-tip. Data was acquired on command and in real time only.	Topside sounder—I	E. S. Warren G. L. B. Nelms G. E. Lockwood E. L. Hagg L. E. Perrie D. B. Muldrew R. W. Knecht T. E. Van Zandt W. Calvert J. W. King S. J. Bauer L. Blumle R. Fliszenreiter J. E. Jackson D. C. Rose I. B. McDiamid J. S. Belrose T. R. Hartz	DRTE CRPL/NBS DSIR England GSFC NRC Canada DRTE DRTE	The ALOUETTE satellite is a project of the Canadian Defense Research Board. This international project is a part of NASA's topside sounder program and was the first NASA launched satellite from the PMR. ALOUETTE has the distinction of being the first spacecraft designed and built by any country other than the U.S. and the USSR. After almost 2 years in orbit, the satellite has experienced no failures and its operation was nominal. Weight: 320 lb. Power: Solar	
EXPLORER XIV ENERGETIC PARTICLES SATELLITE 1962 Beta Gamma 1 EPE-B	Correlate energetic particles activity with observations of the earth's magnetic fields; monitor the existence of transient magnetic fields associated with plasma streams.	Oct. 2, 1962 Feb. 1964	Delta AMR	36.58 hours	184	54,123	A low-energy (0.1 to 20 kev) proton analyzer; a three-core magnetometer; one omnidirectional and three directional electron proton detectors; a three-basic-unit cosmic-ray package; an ion-electron scintillation detector; and devices to determine the effects of radiation on solar cells and the effects of space on electrolytic timers.	Proton analyzer—E Magnetic field experiment (magnetometer)—E Trapped-particle radiation experiment—E Cosmic-ray experiment, ion-electron detector experiment, solar-cell experiment, electrolytic timer experiment—E	M. Bader L. Cahill J. A. Van Allen B. J. O'Brien F. B. McDonald L. R. Davis U. Desai	ARC U. of New Hampshire State U. of Iowa GSFC	Velocity at apogee 1507 mph; perigee 23,734 mph. Inclination to equator 33°. Weight: 89.25 lb. Power: Solar	
EXPLORER XV 1962 B-Lambda 1	To study artificial radiation belt created by nuclear explosion.	Oct. 27, 1962 Feb. 9, 1963	Delta AMR	5 hours (C. 315 min.)	195	10,950	Similar to Explorer XII.	Electron energy distribution—I Omnidirectional detector—I Angular distributor—E Directional detector—I	W. Brown U. Desai C. McIlwain W. Brown C. McIlwain	BTL GSFC U. of Calif. BTL U. of Calif.	Good data received on artificial radiation belt. Weight: 100 lb. Power: Solar	

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EXPLORER XV (Continued)												
RELAY 1962 B-Upalon 1 A-15	To investigate wide-band communications between ground stations by means of low altitude orbiting spacecraft. Communications signal to be evaluated will be an assessment of TV signals, multichannel telephony and other communications. To measure the effects of the space environment on the system; to include radiation damage to solar cells and radiation flux density. To provide tests and demonstration of low-altitude communications satellite.	Dec. 13, 1962 Active	Delta AMR	185.09	819.64	4612.18	Wendell Sunderlin Dr. Ramond Waddel	The spacecraft contained an active communications repeater to receive and retransmit communications between the U.S. and Europe, U.S. and South America, and Europe and South America; and an experiment to assess radiation damage to solar cells, and to measure proton and electron energy.	Ion-electron detector-E Magnetic field experiment-E Solar cell damage experiment-I	L. Davis L. Cahill H. K. Gummel	GSFC U. of New Hampshire BTL	Orbit achieved. TV, telephone, teletype, facsimile and digital data transmissions were made with very satisfactory results. Conducted more than 1600 technical tests and 99 successful demonstrations. Weight: 172 lb. Power: Solar
SYNCOM I 1963 4A A-25	To provide experience in using communications satellites in a 24-hour orbit. To flight test a new, simple approach to satellite attitude and period control. To develop transportable ground facilities to be used in conjunction with communications satellites. To develop capability of launching satellites into 24-hour orbit using existing vehicles, plus apogee kick techniques and to test components life at 24-hour orbit altitude.	Feb. 14, 1963 Feb. 14, 1963	Delta AMR	24 hours	Near synchronous orbit	22,300	R. J. Darsey	The 24-hour communications satellite consists of a spin-stabilized active repeater in a near synchronous, low inclination orbit. The spacecraft is in the form of a cylinder 28 inches in diameter and 15 inches high. The repeater consists of a 7,200-Mc receiver and an 1,800-Mc transmitter with an output of two watts. In addition, the spacecraft contains a vernier velocity control system for orientation of spin axis and adjustment of the orbit.				Twenty seconds after firing apogee rocket, all satellite transmissions stopped. The satellite was sighted on Feb. 28, 1963 and later dates. It was travelling in a near synchronous orbit eastward at about 2.8° per day. Weight: 78 lb. Power: Solar
EXPLORER XVII ATMOSPHERE EXPLORER 1963 9A	To measure the density, composition, pressure, and temperature of the earth's atmosphere from 135 to 540 nautical miles and to determine the variations of these	April 2, 1963 July 10, 1963	Delta AMR	96.4	158.1	598.5	N. W. Spencer	Primary detectors to be employed (two each) are: Double focusing magnetic sector mass spectrometer, hot-cathode total-pressure ionization gauges and cold-cathode total pressure ionization	Two mass spectrometers-P Four vacuum (pressure) gauges-P Two electrostatic probes-I	C. Reber R. Horowitz G. Newton N. Spencer L. Brace	GSFC GSFC GSFC GSFC	Confirmed that the earth is surrounded by a belt of neutral helium at an altitude of from 150 to 600 miles. Weight: 405 lb. Power: Silver zinc batteries

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		Launch Date/ Slant Date	Vehicle & Launch Site	Period (Min.)	Stature Miles		Instrumentation Summary		Experiment and Discipline	Experimenter	Affiliation	
					Perigee	Apogee						
EXPLORER XVII (Continued)	parameters with time of day, latitude and in part, season.											
TELSTAR II 1963 13A (A project of AT&T)	Joint AT&T-NASA investigation of wideband communications.	May 7, 1963 Active	Delta AMR	221	575	6559	C. P. Smith, Jr.	Two vidicon cameras each with a wide-angle lens, five-channel medium-resolution scanning radiometer, omnidirectional low-resolution radiometer, electron temperature probe, magnetic attitude coil.	Included electron detector for energy range 750,000 to 2 Mev			Contained "evacuated" transistors in one of the encoders. Weight: 175 lb. Power: Solar
TIROS VII 1963 24A A-52	To launch into orbit a satellite capable of viewing cloud cover and the earth's surface and atmosphere by means of television cameras and radiation sensors. To acquire and process collected data from satellite and to control its attitude by magnetic means.	June 19, 1963 Active	Delta AMR	97.4	385.02	401.14	R. Rados	Two vidicon cameras each with a wide-angle lens, five-channel medium-resolution scanning radiometer, omnidirectional low-resolution radiometer, electron temperature probe, magnetic attitude coil.	Omnidirectional radiometer Scanning radiometer Electron temperature experiment	V. Suomi A. McCulloch N. Spencer	U. of Wisc. GSFC GSFC	Inclination: 58° to equator. TV coverage extended to 65° north and 65° south latitudes. Launch date selected to provide maximum northern hemisphere coverage during 1963 hurricane season. Electron temperature probe malfunctioned 26 days after launch. First TIROS to have two operational cameras systems and fully functioning IR subsystem 10 months after launch. Weight: 297 lb. Power: Solar
SYNCOM II 1963 31A A-26	To provide experience in using communications satellites in a 24-hour orbit. To flight test a new, simple approach to satellite attitude and period control. To develop transportable ground facilities to be used in conjunction with communication satellites. To develop capability of launching satellites into 24-hour orbit using existing vehicles, plus apogee kick techniques, and to test components life at 24-hour orbit altitude.	July 26, 1963 Active	Delta AMR	24 hours	Near synchronous orbit	22,300	R. J. Dacey	The 24-hour communications satellite consists of a spin-stabilized active repeater in a near synchronous, low inclination orbit. The spacecraft is in the form of a cylinder 28 inches in diameter and 15 inches high. The repeater consists of a 7,200-Mc receiver and an 1,800-Mc transmitter with an output of two watts. In addition, the spacecraft contains a vernier velocity control system for orientation of spin axis and adjustment of the orbit.				Orbit and attitude control of the spin-stabilized synchronous satellite achieved. Data, telephone, and facsimile transmission were excellent. Television video signals were also successfully transmitted, even though the satellite was not designed for this capability. Weight: 70 lb. Power: Solar

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					Perigee							Apogee
EXPLORER XVIII INTERPLANETARY EXPLORER PLATFORM 1963 46A (IMP)	A detailed study of the radiation environment of cislunar space and monitoring this region over a significant portion of a solar cycle. To study the quiescent properties of the interplanetary magnetic field and its dynamical relationships with particle fluxes from the sun. Development of a solar flare prediction capability for Apollo. The extension of knowledge of solar-terrestrial relationships. To further the development of simple, inexpensive, spin-stabilized spacecraft for interplanetary investigations.	Nov. 27, 1963 Active	Delta AMR	93 hours	122	121,605	P. Butler Dr. F. B. McDonald	To carry 10 experiments; essentially a combination of the successful GSFC Explorer X and XII satellites. It is spin-stabilized and powered by solar cells. The system is designed so that data can be received from apogee by the GSFC Minitrack stations.	Plasma—measure thermal ions and electrons 0-10 ev—1 Magnetic field experiment (fluxgate magnetometer)—E Measure solar and galactic protons and alpha particles—E Measure total ionization produced per unit time in a unit volume of standard density air—E Measure flux of low energy interplanetary plasma—E Measure solar and galactic protons, electrons, alpha particles, heavy primaries, and isotropy of solar proton events and of cosmic-ray modulation—E Magnetic field experiment (rubidium vapor magnetometer)—E Solar wind proton concentrations experiment—E	G. P. Serbu R. Bourdeau N. F. Ness J. A. Simpson K. A. Anderson H. S. Bridge F. McDonald G. Ludwig N. F. Ness John Wolfe	GSFC GSFC U. of Chicago U. of Calif. MIT GSFC GSFC ARC	All experiments and equipment operating satisfactorily except for thermal ion experiment which is giving only 10 percent good data. Continues to provide significant data since launch. First accurate measure of the interplanetary magnetic field, and the shock front. First satellite to survive a severe earth shadow of 7 hr., 55 min. Electronics equipped to have cooled to below -60°C. Weight: 137.5 lb. Power: 38 watts solar
TIROS VIII 1963 54A	To launch into orbit a satellite capable of viewing cloud cover and the earth's atmosphere by means of television cameras and radiation sensors. To acquire and process collected data from satellite and to control its attitude by magnetic means.	Dec. 2, 1963 Active	Delta AMR	99.35	435.01	468.30	R. Rados	Two vidicon cameras each with a wide-angle lens, five-channel medium-resolution scanning radiometer, omnidirectional low-resolution radiometer, electron temperature probe, magnetic attitude coil.	Determine radiation damage to solar cells and semiconductor diodes—E Measure proton energy (2.5-25.0 Mev)—E Measure electron energy (0.6-1.6 Mev)—E Measure integral omnidirectional proton flux energy (35.0-300.0 Mev)—E	R. Waddell	GSFC	This satellite proved for the first time the feasibility of APT (Automatic Picture Transmission) a rather "inexpensive" direct facsimile readout. Weight: 297 lb. Power: Solar
RELAY II 1964 3A	To investigate wide-band communications between ground stations by means of low altitude orbiting spacecraft. Communications signal to be evaluated will be on assortment of TV signals, multi-channel telephony and other communications. To measure also the effects of	Jan. 21, 1964 Active	Delta AMR	194.7	1298	4606	Wendell Sunderlin Dr. Ramond Waddell	The spacecraft contains an active communications and retransmit communications between the U.S. and Europe, U.S. and South America, U.S. and South America; and on experiment to assess radiation damage to solar cells, and to measure proton and electron energy.	Determine radiation damage to solar cells and semiconductor diodes—E Measure proton energy (2.5-25.0 Mev)—E Measure electron energy (0.6-1.6 Mev)—E Measure integral omnidirectional proton flux energy (35.0-300.0 Mev)—E	R. Waddell W. Brown W. Brown C. McIlwain	GSFC BTL BTL U. of Calif.	Weight: 172 lb. Power: Solar Inclination: 46.3°

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		Launch Date/ Silent Date	Vehicle & Launch Site	Period (Min.)	Orbit Miles			Instrumentation Summary	Experiment and Discipline*	Experimenter	Affiliation	
					Perigee	Apogee						
RELAY II (Continued)	the space environment on the system; to include radiation damage to solar cells and radiation flux density. To provide tests and demonstration of low-altitude communications satellite.	Jan. 24, 1964 Active	Thor-Agena PMR	109	641	816	Herbert L. Eaker	The satellite is a rigidized spherical (balloon) constructed of aluminum foil and mylar laminate. The folded balloon was deployed from its container in space and inflated to its full size by a sublimating powder. The satellite carries two beacon units, each includes a transmitter and telemetering sensor.	Measure directional electron energy (0.25-1.0 Mev)-E Measure directional proton energy (1.0-60.0 Mev)-E	C. McIlwain C. McIlwain	U. of Calif. U. of Calif.	Weight: 650 lb. Inclination: 81.5°
ECHO II 1964 4A	To demonstrate a spacecraft deployment and rigidization technique applicable to passive communications satellites.											
BEACON EXPLORER BE-A	To study for a minimum period of one year the variations of electron density distribution as a function of latitude, and seasonal and diurnal time, under varying magnetic and solar conditions.	Mar. 19, 1964 Mar. 19, 1964	Delta AMR		Note Remarks		Frank T. Martin Robert E. Bourdeau	Four coherent, ultra-stable, unmodulated CW transmitters (operating at 20, 40, 41 and 360 Mc) radiate signals from dipole antennas for reception by a world wide network of over 100 observing stations.	Measurement of electron content-I Absorption, Scintillation-I	Frank T. Martin Robert E. Bourdeau	U. of Illinois Penn State U. NBS Stanford U. and international participants	Observing Stations: Stations operated by prime experimenters: a. University of Illinois: Urbana, Illinois; Houghton, Mich.; Baker Lake, Canada; Adak, Alaska b. Pennsylvania State U.: University Park, Pa.; Huancayo, Peru c. Stanford University: Stanford, Calif.; Honolulu, Hawaii; Macapa, Brazil; Guarapes, Brazil; S. J. dos Campos, Brazil; Santiago, Chile; Ushuaia, Argentina d. Central Radio Laboratory (NBS): Boulder, Colo.; 2 mobile stations within 100-mile radius of Boulder, Colo.

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					Perigee	Apogee						
BE-A (Continued)											International Participation: More than 100 international observing ground stations participated in the program. Doppler tracking data both from Antigua and Brazil tracking stations indicated that the satellite did not achieve orbital velocity. The satellite re-entered the earth's atmosphere over the South Atlantic coast of Argentina and disintegrated. This represented the first time the Delta vehicle failed in 23 launch attempts. Weight: 172 lb.	
ARIEL II INTERNATIONAL SATELLITE 1964 15A	To continue U.S./U.K. cooperative satellite program. This is second phase of a three-satellite program. The satellite mission is to make scientific measurements using the U.K.-furnished experiments.	Mar. 27, 1964 Active	Scout Wallops Island		180	840	Emil Hynowitz L. Dunkelmann	UK-C is designed to perform three experiments: The galactic noise experiment to record galactic noise in the 0.75- to 3.0-Mc region and to explore the ionosphere. An ozone experiment is to measure the vertical distribution of ozone in the earth's atmosphere. The meteorite experiment is to obtain quantitative measurements of particle flux.	Measurement of galactic radio noise in the 0.75-Mc to 3.0-Mc frequency range—I Measure vertical distribution of atmospheric ozone—P Measurement of the micrometeoroid flux—A	F. G. Smith K. H. Stewart R. C. Jennison	U. of Cambridge (U.K.) Air Ministry (U.K.) U. of Manchester, Jodrell Bank (U.K.)	This satellite is a cooperative U.S.-U.K. effort. The U.K. was responsible for all flight instrumentation pertaining to the experiments and for data reduction and analysis. The U.S. was responsible for the design, fabrication, and testing of the prototype and flight hardware, except for the experiment requirements. Tracking and data acquisition are a joint responsibility.

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					Perigee	Apogee						
BEACON EXPLORER BE-B	To study for a minimum period of one year the variations of electron content distribution as a function of latitude, and seasonal and diurnal time, under varying magnetic and solar conditions. To support the beacon experiment by determining the electron density in the vicinity of the spacecraft. To test the feasibility of laser tracking.	1964	Scout PMR	105	625 circular orbit	Frank T. Martin Robert E. Bourdeau	Four coherent, ultra-stable, unmodulated CW transmitters (operating at 20, 40, 41 and 360 Mc) radiate signals from dipole antennas which will be received by a world-wide network of over 100 observing stations. Two electron density probes. Laser corner reflector.	Ionosphere beacon experiment—I	G. W. Swenson W. J. Ross U. K. Garriott R. S. Lawrence L. J. Blumle L. Brace H. Plorkin	U. of Illinois Penn State U. Stanford U. NBS GSFC International participants GSFC GSFC	Observing Stations: Stations operated by prime experimenters: a. University of Illinois: Urbana, Illinois; Houghton, Mich.; Baker Lake, Canada; Adak, Alaska b. Pennsylvania State University: University Park, Pa.; Huancayo, Peru c. Stanford University: Stanford, Calif; Honolulu, Hawaii; Macapa, Brazil; S. J. dos Campos, Brazil; Santiago, Chile; Ushuaia, Argentina d. Central Radio Propagation Laboratory (NBS): Boulder, Colo.; 2 mobile stations within 100-mile radius of Boulder, Colo. e. Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC): Blossom Point, Maryland f. Laser station at Wallops Island International Participation: More than 80 international observing ground stations will participate in the program. Weight: 115 lb.	
IONOSPHERE EXPLORER IE-A	Primary objective is to measure the electron density distribution in space and time between the height of the maximum electron density in the F2 region	1964	Scout PMR		545	620	John E. Jackson	Six ionosphere explorers from 1.50 to 7.22 Mc and an ion mass spectrometer (UK). The longest set of sounding antenna will measure 122 feet tip-to-tip. Scientific	Fixed-frequency sounder—I Ion probe—I	R. Knecht R. L. F. Boyd A. P. Willmore	CRPL/ NBS U. College London, England	26 inches diameter and 32½ inches high. 2,400 solar cells mounted round side of satellite. Weight: 97 lb.

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IE-A (Continued)	(approximately 180 miles) and the height of the satellite (620 miles) including the geometry and number of irregularities. Secondary objectives are to determine the ion and electron densities and temperature in the vicinity of the satellite and to estimate cosmic noise in the 2- to 7-Mc frequency range.							data will be transmitted via a two-watt FM telemetry system; upon command, data will be acquired in real time only. House-keeping data will be acquired from a 1/4-watt PM telemetry transmitter.				Weight: 830 lb.
NIMBUS A-4	Provide television coverage of the daytime cloud cover of the entire earth as well as infrared radiation pictures of nighttime cloud cover, reflected radiation, and the heat budget of the earth. Real-time use of the relevant meteorological data will be included.	1964	Thor-Agena PMR	103	500 circular orbit		Harry Press	Television cameras to photograph the earth's cloud cover; equipment for infrared radiation measurements. Two large paddles of solar cells will convert the sun's energy into electric power. Spacecraft also has tape recorder, telemetering and command equipment. Satellite will be earth-stabilized to provide continuous cloud cover data.				
ORBITING GEOPHYSICAL OBSERVATORY OGO-A	To launch and operate an orbital spacecraft carrying experiments to make scientific geophysical measurements about the earth.	1964	Atlas-Agena B AMR		172	92,124	Wilfred E. Scull Dr. G. H. Ludwig	The spacecraft can accommodate as many as 50 experiments.	Solar cosmic rays-S Plasma, electrostatic analyzer-E Plasma, Faraday cup-E Positron search and gamma-ray spectrum-E, S Trapped radiation, scintillation detector-E Cosmic-ray isotope abundance-E Cosmic-ray spectra and fluxes-E Trapped radiation, omnidirectional counter-E Trapped radiation, electron spectrometer; and ionization chamber-E Triaxial search-coil magnetometer-E	K. A. Anderson J. H. Wolfe H. Bridge T. L. Cline E. W. Hones, Jr. L. R. Davis F. B. McDonald G. H. Ludwig J. A. Simpson C. Y. Fan P. Meyer J. A. Van Allen L. A. Frank J. R. Winckler R. L. Arnoldy E. J. Smith R. E. Holzer	U. of Calif. ARC MIT GSFC Inst. Def. Anal. GSFC GSFC U. of Chicago U. of Iowa U. of Minnesota JPL UCLA	To be placed in a highly eccentric 31° orbit. Weight: 1000 lb.

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OGO-A (Continued)									Rubidium-vapor magnetometer-E Spherical ion and electron trap-I Planar ion and electron trap-I Radio propagation-I Atmospheric mass spectrum-R Interplanetary dust particles-P VLF noise and propagation-I Radio astronomy-A Geocoronal Lyman-Alpha scattering-P Gegenschein photography-P	J. P. Heppner R. C. Segalyn E. C. Whipple R. S. Lawrence H. A. Taylor, Jr. W. M. Alexander R. A. Helliwell F. T. Haddock P. W. Munge C. L. Wolff K. Hallam	GSFC AFCRL GSFC NBS GSFC GSFC Stanford U. U. of Michigan NRL GSFC	
ORBITING SOLAR OBSERVATORY OSO-B2 (Under Study)	To conduct experiments in solar physics above the earth's atmosphere; experiments will detect and measure electromagnetic radiation from the sun, and determine their energy levels.	(Under study)	Delta AMR	95 ± 2	345 ± 34 circular orbit		Laurence T. Hagarth Dr. John C. Lindsey	Stabilized platform for solar-oriented scientific instruments. Experiments not requiring fixed orientation with respect to the sun are housed in the spinning wheel section of the satellite. Electrical power is supplied by an array of solar cells mounted on the stabilized section. A complete telemetry and command system is provided to transmit information back to earth. Essential difference between OSO-I and OSO-B is ability of OSO-B to scan solar disc and corona with pointed instruments.	POINTED Ultraviolet spectrometer-heliograph 300-1400A-S Monitor solar X-ray bursts-S White light corona-graph-S WHEEL Monitor Intensity and direction of polarized light from interplanetary space-A Measure arrival direction and energies of primary cosmic gamma rays-A Detect gamma rays and analyze their energy spectrum-S Ultraviolet stellar and nebular spectrophotometer-A Measurement of thermal-radiation characteristics of surfaces to determine emissivity stability of spacecraft temperature-control Coatings-E	L. Goldberg E. M. Reeves W. H. Parkinson W. Liller T. A. Chubb R. Tousey E. P. Ney C. P. Leavitt K. J. Frost K. L. Hallam C. B. Neel C. G. Robinson	Harvard U. NRL NRL U. of Minnesota U. of New Mexico GSFC GSFC ARC ARC	Weight: 542 lb. (317 for spacecraft and 225 for experiments) Power: Solar Inclination: 33°

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SYNCOM C	To provide experience in using communications satellites in a 24-hour near-equatorial orbit. To flight-test a new, simple approach to satellite attitude and period control. To develop transportable ground facilities to be used in conjunction with communications satellites. To develop capability of launching satellites into 24-hour near-equatorial orbit using existing vehicles plus apogee kick techniques and to test components life at 24-hour-orbit altitude.	1964	Thrust-augmented Delta AMR			22,300 synchronous orbit	R. J. Dacey	The 24-hour communications satellite consists of a spin-stabilized active repeater in a near-synchronous, low-inclination orbit. The spacecraft is in the form of a cylinder 28 inches in diameter and 15 inches high. The repeater consists of a 7,200-Mc receiver and a 1,800-Mc transmitter with an output of 2 watts. In addition, the spacecraft contains a vernier velocity control system for orientation of spin axis and adjustment of the orbit.			Weight: 70 lb. Power: Solar	
TIROS I	To provide TV picture coverage whenever the R&D program is not providing sufficient picture data for operational use in real-time weather analysis.	1964	Delta AMR	97.5		400	400	R. Rados	Two vidicon cameras: two wide-angle lens; and a magnetic attitude control system.			The satellite will be placed in an orbit inclined 58° to the equator to provide TV coverage between 65° N. latitude and 65° S. latitude. Weight: 275 lb. Power: Solar
ORBITING ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATORIES OAO-A OAO-B OAO-C	To make precise telescope observations from above the earth's atmosphere with satellites under control from the ground. The area of interest is that of the emission and absorption characteristics of the sun, stars, planets, nebulae and interplanetary, and interstellar media in the relatively unexplored infrared, ultraviolet, X-ray and gamma-ray regions of the spectrum.	1966	Atlas-Agena AMR			547 circular orbit	Robert R. Ziemer Dr. J. Kupperian	A fundamental objective of the program is to develop a basic spacecraft which will have the precise pointing capability, power, and data to handling equipment, etc. To carry a wide variety of astronomical experiments. (OAO-A) Mapping stellar ultraviolet radiation in ranges 3000-1700A, 200-1050A, 1500-1050A—A (OAO-A) Broadband photometric studies of stellar energy distribution (800-3000A)—A (OAO-B) Absolute spectrophotometry measurement (1000-4000A with 2A resolution)—A (OAO-C) Inter-stellar absorption measurement (800-3000A with 0.1 resolution)—A	F. Whipple R. Davis A. Code J. Kupperian J. E. Milligan L. Spitzer	Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory U. of Wisc. GSFC Princeton U.	Experiments for the first three observations have been selected and are scheduled as follows: OAO-A Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory experiment; University of Wisconsin experiment. OAO-B GSFC experiment. OAO-C Princeton University experiment. The Smithsonian experiment is designed to map the sky as it looks in ultraviolet light. The Wisconsin experiment is to give	

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OAO-A OAO-B OAO-C (Continued)												more details about the amount and distribution of ultra-violet light in selected stars. The GSFC experiment will be designed to obtain more detailed data on selected stars, using a 36-inch telescope and a spectrophotometer. The Princeton experiment will be designed for high-resolution ultra-violet studies involving observations to determine some of the characteristics of the gas between stars. Weight: 3600 lb.
ORBITING GEOPHYSICAL OBSERVATORY OGO-B	To launch and operate an orbital spacecraft carrying experiments to make scientific geophysical measurements about the earth.	1965	Atlas-Agena B AMR	172	92,124	Wilfred E. Skull Dr. G. H. Ludwig	The spacecraft can accommodate as many as 50 experiments.	Solar cosmic rays-S Plasma, electrostatic analyzer-E Plasma, Faraday cup-E Positron search and gamma-ray spectrum-E, S Trapped radiation, scintillation detector-E Cosmic-ray isotope abundance-E Cosmic-ray spectra and fluxes-E Trapped radiation, omnidirectional counter-E Trapped radiation, electron spectrometer; and ionization chamber-E Triaxial search-coil magnetometer-E Rubidium-vapor magnetometer-E Spherical ion and electron trap-I	K. A. Anderson J. H. Wolfe H. Bridge T. L. Cline E. W. Hones, Jr. L. R. Davis F. B. McDonald G. H. Ludwig J. A. Simpson C. Y. Fan P. Meyer J. A. Van Allen L. A. Frank J. R. Winckler R. L. Arnoldy E. J. Smith R. E. Holzer J. P. Heppner R. C. Sagalyn	U. of Calif. ARC MIT GSFC Inst. Def. Anal. GSFC GSFC U. of Chicago U. of Iowa U. of Minnesota JPL UCLA GSFC AFRL	To be placed in a highly eccentric 31° orbit. Weight: 1000 lb.	

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					Perigee	Apogee						
OGO-B (Continued)									Planar ion and electron trap-I Radio propagation-I Atmospheric mass spectrum-R Interplanetary dust particles-P VLF noise and propagation-I Radio astronomy-A Geocoronal Lyman-Alpha scattering-P Gegenschein photography-P	E. C. Whipple R. S. Lawrence H. A. Taylor, Jr. W. M. Alexander R. A. Halliwell F. T. Haddock P. W. Minge C. L. Wolff K. Hallam	GSFC NBS GSFC GSFC Stanford U. U. of Michigan NRL GSFC	
ORBITING GEOPHYSICAL OBSERVATORY OGO-C	To launch and operate an orbital spacecraft carrying experiments to make scientific geophysical measurements about the earth, from a low-altitude polar orbit of low eccentricity.	1965	Thrust-augmented Thor-Agena D PMR	161	575		Wilfred E. Skull N. W. Spencer	The spacecraft can accommodate as many as 50 experiments.	Radio astronomy-A VLF measurements-I VLF measurements-I Triaxial search-coil magnetometer-E Rubidium-vapor magnetometer-E Cosmic-ray and polar-region ionization study-E Energetic particles survey-E Galactic and solar-cosmic rays-E Corpuscular radiation in auroral and polar zones-E Trapped-radiation scintillation detector-E Air-glow study-R Lyman-alpha and air-glow study-R Air-glow study, under-voltage spectrometer-R	F. T. Haddock R. A. Halliwell M. G. Morgan T. Loasere R. E. Holzer E. J. Smith J. P. Heppner H. V. Neher H. R. Anderson J. A. Simpson W. R. Webber J. A. Van Allen R. A. Hoffman J. Blamont P. W. Minge C. A. Barth L. Wallace	U. of Michigan Stanford U. Dartmouth College UCLA JPL GSFC Calif. Inst. Tech. JPL U. of Chicago U. of Minnesota U. of Iowa GSFC Univ. of Paris NRL JPL Kitt Peak Nat. Obs.	Weight: 1000 lb.

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SCHEDULED SATELLITE PROJECTS (Cont.)
PARTIAL LISTING

Designation	Objectives	LAUNCH AND ORBIT DATA					Project Manager and Project Scientist	EXPERIMENT DATA				Remarks	
		Launch Date/ Slant Date	Vehicle & Launch Site	Period (Min.)	Orbit Miles			Instrumentation Summary	Experiment and Discipline*	Experimenter	Affiliation		
					Perigee	Apogee							
OGO-C (Continued)													
ORBITING SOLAR OBSERVATORY OSO-C	To conduct experiments in solar physics above the earth's atmosphere; experiments will detect and measure electromagnetic radiation from the sun and determine their energy level.	1965	Delta AMR	95 ± 2	345 ± 34	circular orbit	Laurence T. Hogarth Dr. John C. Lindsay	Stabilized platform for solar-oriented scientific instruments. Experiments not requiring fixed orientation with respect to the sun are housed in the spinning-wheel section of the satellite. Electrical power is supplied by an array of solar cells mounted on the stabilized section. A complete telemetry system is provided to transmit information back to earth. Spacecraft has pointing capability similar to OSO-I.	<u>POINTED</u> Ultraviolet monochromator—S Solar spectrometer—S <u>WHEEL</u> Earth's albedo in ultraviolet and visible regions—S Emissivity stability of low-temperature coatings—E Gamma-ray astronomy—A Solar X-ray—S Solar gamma rays—S X-ray and gamma-ray astronomy—S	H. J. Schaefer H. A. Taylor, Jr. G. P. Newton W. M. Alexander R. E. Bourdeau H. E. Hinteregger R. W. Kreplin H. E. Hinteregger W. M. Neupert C. B. Neel C. B. Neel W. L. Kraushaar R. Teske E. M. Hafner L. E. Peterson	U. of Michigan GSFC GSFC GSFC GSFC AFRL NRL Air Force Cambridge Research Lab. GSFC ARC ARC MIT U. of Michigan U. of Rochester U. of Calif.	Weight: 590 lb. (320 for spacecraft and 270 for experiments) Power: Solar Inclination: 33°	
ORBITING SOLAR OBSERVATORY OSO-D	To conduct experiments in solar physics above the earth's atmosphere; experiments will detect and measure electromagnetic radiation from the sun and determine their energy level.	1966	Delta AMR	95 ± 2	345 ± 34	circular orbit	Laurence T. Hogarth Dr. John C. Lindsay	Stabilized platform for solar-oriented scientific instruments. Experiments not requiring fixed orientation with respect to the sun are housed in the spinning-wheel section of the satellite. Electrical power is supplied by an array of solar cells mounted on the stabilized section. A complete telemetry system is provided to transmit information back to earth. Spacecraft has pointing and scanning capability similar to OSO-B.	<u>POINTED</u> Solar X-ray telescope—S Bragg crystal X-ray spectrometer—S Improved normal incidence 300- to 1300Å scanning spectrometer spectroheliograph—S <u>WHEEL</u> Measure extra solar X-radiation—A	R. Giacconi T. A. Chubb R. W. Kreplin L. Goldberg R. Giacconi	American Science and Engineering, Inc. NRL Harvard U. Observatory American Science and Engineering, Inc.	Weight: 600 lb. (330 for spacecraft and 270 for experiments) Power: Solar Inclination: 33°	

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A—Astronomy

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S—Solar Physics*

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PARTIAL LISTING

Designation	Objectives	LAUNCH AND ORBIT DATA				Project Manager and Project Scientist	EXPERIMENT DATA			Remarks	
		Launch Date/ Silent Date	Vehicle & Launch Site	Period (Min.)	Statute Miles		Instrumentation Summary	Experiment and Discipline*	Experimenter	Affiliation	
					Perigee	Apogee					
OSO-D (Continued)									R. L. F. Boyd E. A. Stewardson	Leicester U. College, London	
								Distribution of total solar X-ray emission over a wide band-S			
								Study of solar He II resonance emission-S	R. L. F. Boyd E. A. Stewardson	U. College, London	
								Proton-electron detector-E	J. Waggoner	U. of Calif. Lawrence Radiation Lab.	
								X-ray ion chamber monitoring-S	T. A. Chubb	NRL	
								Lyman-alpha night-sky glow-A	T. A. Chubb	NRL	
ORBING SOLAR OBSERVATORY OSO-E	To conduct experiments in solar physics above the earth's atmosphere; experiments will detect and measure electromagnetic radiation from the sun, and determine their energy levels.	1967	Delta AMR	95 ± 2	345 ± 34	circular orbit	Stabilized platform for solar-oriented scientific instruments. Experiments not requiring fixed orientation with respect to the sun are housed in the spinning wheel section of the satellite. Electrical power is supplied by an array of solar cells mounted on the stabilized section. A complete telemetry system is provided to transmit information back to earth. Spacecraft has pointing and scanning capability similar to OSO-B.	<u>POINTED</u> X-ray spectroheliograph-S Extreme ultraviolet solar spectroheliograph-S Continuation of the studies of solar spectrum-S <u>WHEEL</u> Measurement of solar reversal of the solar Lyman-alpha line-S Solar X-ray radiation ion-chamber photometer, monitoring experiments-S Low-energy gamma-ray region-S Dim-light monitoring experiment, measuring intensity and polarization of the light from the air-glow layer-A Solar for ultraviolet radiation monitoring in three euv bands-S	R. L. F. Boyd E. A. Stewardson P. J. Brown R. Tousey J. D. Purcell H. Friedman J. C. Lindsay W. Neupert J. E. Blamont R. W. Kreplin K. J. Frost E. P. Ney W. A. Rense	U. College, London U. of Leicester NRL GSFC U. of Paris NRL GSFC U. of Minnesota U. of Colo.	Weight: Estimated 590 lb. (330 for spacecraft and 260 for experiments) Power: Solar Inclination: 33°
TIROS J	To contribute to the development of a synchronous orbit meteorological satellite system.		Delta AMR	154.8	360	3600	Two vidicon camera systems; a digitized MRIR system; and a magnetic attitude control system.				The mission of this spacecraft is to contribute to the development of the capability of providing continuous

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A - Astronomy

P - Planetary Atmospheres
S - Solar Systems

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PARTIAL LISTING

Designation	Objectives	LAUNCH AND ORBIT DATA					Project Manager and Project Scientist	EXPERIMENT DATA			Remarks	
		Launch Date/ Slant Date	Vehicle & Launch Site	Period (Min.)	Statute Miles			Instrumentation Summary	Experiment and Discipline*	Experimenter		Affiliation
					Perigee	Apogee						
TIROS J (Continued)											observations of the earth's atmospheric phenomena. Weight: 300 lb. 33° prograde Power: Solar	
TIROS OT-1	To launch into orbit a spacecraft that will contribute to the development of a global meteorological observation system.		Delta AMR	97.5	400	400	R. Rados	The satellite will contain two standard TIROS cameras with recorders, two IR horizon sensors for attitude determination, and a magnetic attitude control system. Horizon sensors will be used with an on-board spacecraft computer to provide camera shutter at spacecraft local vertical. Magnetic spin-control and spacecraft digital clock to be used.			This mission will endeavor to increase the area of meteorological observation, to improve the accuracy of TV picture location, and to eliminate attitude constraints through the use of a cartwheel-configured satellite in a nearly sun-synchronous (82° retrograde) polar orbit. This configuration will permit the cameras to view the earth and its cloud cover at zenith and will be limited in coverage only by the sun's coverage of the earth and the limitations of the satellite's power system. Weight: 305 lb. Power: Solar 58.3° prograde	

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NOTES

- ### 1. Numbering System:

NASA

4. AEROBEE 150. 150A

6. AEROBEE 300

8. **ARGO D-4**

10. NIKE, CAJUN

11. **ARGO D-8**

NASA 12. SPECIAL PROJECTS

14. NIKE APACHE

16. ASTROBEE 1500

17. AEROBEE 350

NASA 1. AEROBEE 100, 2. ARCON, 3. NIKE ASP, 5. IRIS, 7. ARGO-E-5, 9. SKYLARK, and 15. ARCAS, are not listed for use on this schedule.

- 2. Identifying letters:** The letters which follow each rocket number identify (1) the instrumenting agency, and (2) the experiment according to the following list:

AGENCY

G - Goddard
N - Other NASA Centers
U - College or University
D - DOD

A - Other Government Agency
C - Industrial Corporations
I - International

EXPERIMENT

A - Aeronomy
E - Energetic Particles and Fields
I - Ionospheric Physics
S - Solar Physics
G - Galactic Astronomy

FIRING SITES

ASC	Ascension Island
AUS	Australia
EGL	Eglin
FC	Fort Churchill
IND	India
NOR	Norway

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Australia
Eglin
Fort Churchill
India
Norway

PAK
PMR
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PART III

NASA SOUNDING ROCKET FLIGHTS

NASA NO.	FIRING			PRINCIPAL NASA SCIENTIST	COOPERATING INVESTIGATOR	EXPERIMENT	RESULTS*
	DATE	SITE	PERF*				
	1960			AERONOMY			
4.09 GA	April 29	WI	S	Horowitz		Atm. Comp.	S
10.03 GA	June 16	WI	P	Nordberg		Grenade	X
10.04 GA	July 9	WI	S	Nordberg		Grenade	S
10.01 GA	July 14	WI	S	Nordberg		Grenade	X
4.14 GA	Nov. 15	WI	S	Taylor		Atmos. Comp.	S
10.06 GA	Dec. 14	WI	S	Nordberg		Grenade	S
	1961						
10.07 GA	Feb. 14	WI	S	Nordberg		Grenade	S
10.08 GA	Feb. 17	WI	P	Nordberg		Grenade	S
10.33 GA	April 5	WI	S	Nordberg		Grenade	P
10.34 GA	April 27	WI	X	Smith		Grenade	X
10.02 GA	May 5	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.28 GA	May 6	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.29 GA	May 9	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	P
10.30 GA	July 13	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.31 GA	July 14	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.32 GA	Aug. 20	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.35 GA	Aug. 21	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	X
10.36 GA	Sep. 16	WI	P	Smith		Grenade	P
10.37 GA	Sep. 17	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	X
1.08 GA	Oct. 23	FC	S	Varian-Martin		Atm. Structure	S
1.09 GA	Oct. 30	FC	S	Varian-Martin		Atm. Structure	S
8.23 GA	Oct. 10	WI	S	Taylor		Ionosphere	S
1.10 GA	Oct. 15	FC	S	Varian-Martin		Atm. Structure	S
1.07 GA	Oct. 17	FC	S	Varian-Martin		Atm. Structure	S
1.11 GA	Nov. 1	FC	S	Varian-Martin		Atm. Structure	S
1.12 GA	Nov. 5	FC	S	Varian-Martin		Atm. Structure	S
10.64 GA	Dec. 21	WI	S	U/M.Spencer		Atm. Structure	S
	1962						
10.38 GA	Mar. 2	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.39 GA	Mar. 2	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
4.18 GA	Mar. 19	WI	X	U/M.Spencer		Atm. Structure	X
10.40 GA	Mar. 23	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.41 GA	Mar. 28	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
10.42 GA	April 17	WI	S	Smith		Grenade	S
5.04 GA	May 3	WI	P	Taylor		Atm. Structure	S

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	DATE	SITE				
* 10.43 GA	June 7	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.44 GA	8	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.65 GA	Nov. 16	FC	Smith		Grenade	X
6.06 GA	20	WI	Brace		Thermosph. Probe	S
10.45 GA	Dec. 1	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.68 GA	1	FC	Smith		Grenade	X
10.46 GA	4	WI	Smith		Grenade	X
10.67 GA	4	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.47 GA	6	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.66 GA	6	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
1963						
10.48 GA	Feb. 20	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.58 GA	20	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.53 GA	28	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.59 GA	28	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.54 GA	9	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.60 GA	9	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.60 GA	April 18	WI	Brace		Thermosph. Probe	S
6.07 GA	Dec. 7	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.55 GA						
1964						
10.61 GA	Jan. 24	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.86 GA	24	FC	Smith		Grenade	X
6.09 GA	29	WI	Brace		Thermosph. Probe	S
10.71 GA	29	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.89 GA	29	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.81 GA	29	ASC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.62 GA	Feb. 4	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.87 GA	5	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
10.63 GA	5	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.136 GA	13	WI	Smith		Grenade	S
10.88 GA	13	FC	Smith		Grenade	S
1961						
10.72 NA	Nov. 18	WI	LRC/Hord		Airglow	S
1962						
10.79 NA	April 5	WI	LRC/Potter		Ozone	S
1.13 NA	Sep. 6	WI	JPL/Barth		U. V. Airglow	S
1.14 NA	Nov. 20	WI	JPL/Barth		U. V. Airglow	X
1963						
10.80 NA	Jan. 17	WI	LRC/Potter		Ozone	S
10.92 NA	Sep. 25	WI	LRC		Chemical Release	S
10.93 NA	Sep. 25	WI	LRC		Chemical Release	S
14.102 NA	Oct. 9	WI	LRC/Potter		Chemical Release	S
14.103 NA	Oct. 10	WI	LRC/Potter		Chemical Release	S
4.85 NA	Nov. 12	WI	JPL/Barth		Airglow	S
1960						
10.09 UA	Nov. 2	WI	U/M/Dubin		Atm. Comp.	X
10.10 UA	16	WI	U/M/Dubin		Atm. Comp.	X

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	DATE	SITE				
10.50 UA 10.56 UA 10.57 UA	1961 June 6 9 July 26	WI WI WI	U/M-Dubin U/M-Dubin U/M-Dubin		Atm. Structure Atm. Comp. Atm. Comp.	S X X
10.90 UA 10.91 UA 14.19 UA 14.20 UA 4.74 UA	1962 Feb. 20 May 18 June 6 Dec. 1 13	WI WI WI WI WI	U/M-Dubin U/M-Dubin U/M-Spencer U/M-Dubin JHU/Dubin		Atm. Comp. Atm. Comp. Atm. Structure Atm. Structure Airglow	X S S S X
4.73 UA 14.08 UA 14.09 UA 4.98 UA 4.75 UA 10.75 UA 4.76 UA 14.10 UA 10.131 UA 14.21 UA	1963 Jan. 29 Mar. 28 28 May 7 July 20 Aug. 2 Nov. 12 26 10.131 Dec. 7	WI WI WI WI FC WI WI WI WI WI	JHU/Dubin U/M-Dubin U/M-Dubin JHU/Dubin JHU/Dubin U/M-Holtz JHU/Dubin U/M-Dubin U/M-Dubin U/M-W. Smith		Airglow Atm. Comp. Atm. Comp Airglow Airglow Atm. Density Airglow Atm. Comp. Atm. Density Atm. Structure	X S X S S X S S S S
14.22 UA	1964 Feb. 4	ASC	U/M-W. Smith		Atm. Structure	S
14.140 DA 14.141 DA 10.130 DA	1963 May 18 18 22	EGL EGL EGL	AFCLR/Ga. Tech. AFCLR/Ga. Tech. AFCLR/Ga. Tech.		Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor	S S S
8.31 DA	1964 Jan. 17	WI	NRL/Dubin		Comp.-Airglow	S
14.45 AA 14.46 AA	1962 Dec. 1 3	EGL EGL	AFCLR/Dubin AFCLR/Dubin		Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor	X P
3.13 CA 3.14 CA 3.15 CA 3.16 CA 3.17 CA	1959 Aug. 17 19 Nov. 18 19 20	WI WI WI WI WI	GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor	S X X S X
3.23 CA 3.24 CA 10.05 CA 8.04 CA 10.11 CA 10.12 CA 8.05 CA	1960 May 24 25 Sep. 20 Nov. 10 Dec. 9 9 Dec. 10	WI WI WI WI WI WI WI	GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin Nordberg Lockhead/Dubin GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor Grenade Ionosphere Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor	X S X X P X S

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3.05 CA	1961 April 19	WI	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
3.06 CA	21	WI	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
3.07 CA	21	WI	X	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	X
3.08 CA	21	WI	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
8.06 CA	Sep. 13	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
8.22 CA	13	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
3.09 CA	16	WI	X	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	X
3.18 CA	16	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
3.19 CA	17	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
10.100 CA	1962 Mar. 1	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
10.101 CA	2	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
10.102 CA	23	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
10.103 CA	27	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
3.20 CA	April 17	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
3.21 CA	June 7	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
3.22 CA	7	WI	X	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	X
14.30 CA	Aug. 23	WI	P	Lockheed/Depew		Atm. Structure	X
14.16 CA	Nov. 7	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
14.17 CA	Nov. 30	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
14.18 CA	Dec. 5	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	P
3.11 CA	1963 Feb. 18	WI	X	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	X
14.35 CA	20	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
14.39 CA	21	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
14.110 CA	May 8	WI	S	Lockheed/Bordeau		Massfilter	X
14.13 CA	22	FC	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
14.14 CA	22	FC	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
14.15 CA	23	FC	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
14.40 CA	24	WI	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
14.41 CA	24	WI	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	X
14.42 CA	25	WI	S	GCA/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	S
14.38 CA	1964 Jan. 15	WI	X	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	X
14.106 CA	15	WI	P	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
14.125 CA	16	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
14.126 CA	16	WI	S	GCA/Smith		Sodium Vapor	S
Rehbar 1**	1962 June 7	PAK	S	Mustafa		Sodium Vapor	X
Rehbar 2**	11	PAK	S	Mustafa		Sodium Vapor	X
10.77 IA	1963 May 16	PAK	S	Pakistan		Sodium Vapor	X
14.137 IA	20	Italy	S	Italy		Sodium Vapor	S
14.138 IA	21	Italy	S	Italy		Sodium Vapor	S
14.139 IA	21	Italy	S	Italy		Sodium Vapor	S
14.128 IA	Nov. 21	IND	S	India/Dubin		Sodium Vapor	P

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	DATE	SITE				
14.129 1A 14.130 1A	1964 Jan. 8 12	IND IND	India/Dubin India/Dubin		Sodium Vapor Sodium Vapor	S S
10.17 GE 8.07 GE 10.18 GE 10.19 GE 10.20 GE 11.01 GE 10.21 GE 10.22 GE 10.23 GE 10.24 GE 10.15 GE 10.16 GE 10.13 GE 10.14 GE 10.26 GE 10.27 GE 8.08 GE	1960 June 6 30 July 22 Sep. 3 3 19 27 Nov. 11 11 12 12 13 16 17 18 Dec. 12	FC WI FC FC FC PMR FC FC FC FC FC FC FC FC FC FC WI	Fichtel Heppner Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Naugle Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Fichtel Heppner	SBE Magnetic Field SBE SBE SBE NERV 1 SBE SBE SBE SBE SBE SBE SBE SBE SBE SBE Magnetic Fields	S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	
10.76 GE	1961 Dec. 10	FC	Ogilvie-Fichtel		Cosmic Ray	S
4.91 GE	1963 Sep. 4	FC	Fichtel		Heavy Cosmic Rays	S
14.43 GE	1964 Feb. 20	FC	Evans		Aurora	P
4.16 UE	1960 Aug. 23	WI	NYU/Meredith		Cosmic Ray	S
14.03 UE 14.04 UE 14.05 UE	1961 July 14 14 20	WI WI WI	UNH/Heppner UNH/Heppner UNH/Heppner		Magnetic Field Magnetic Field Magnetic Field	S S S
11.06 UE 14.06 UE	1963 Feb. 12 Sep. 9	PMR WI	U. Minn./Cline UNH/Schardt		Electron Spect. Electrojet	S S
14.150 UE 14.79 UE 14.180 UE 14.81 UE 14.82 UE	1964 Jan. 15 25 27 29 31	WI IND IND IND IND	Rice/Schardt UNH/Schardt UNH/Schardt UNH/Schardt UNH/Schardt		Sodium Vapor Equatorial Electrojet Equatorial Electrojet Equatorial Electrojet Equatorial Electrojet	X S S S S

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	DATE	SITE	PERF*				
IONOSPHERIC PHYSICS							
4.08 GI 4.07 GI	1959 Sep. 11 14	FC FC	S S	Jackson Jackson		Ionosphere Ionosphere	S S
1.01 GI 1.02 GI	1960 Nov. 23 27	FC FC	S S	Whipple Whipple		Ionosphere Ionosphere	S S
8.10 GI 8.09 GI 10.74 GI	1961 April 27 June 13 Dec. 21	WI WI WI	S S S	Jackson Jackson Kane		Ionosphere Ionosphere Ionosphere	P P S
10.110 GI 8.21 GI 10.112 GI 10.111 GI 14.12 GI K63-1** K63-2** K63-3** K63-4** K62-1** K62-3** K62-4** K62-5** 14.31 GI 14.32 GI	1962 April 26 May 3 16 17 June 15 July 27 29 Aug. 1 7 11 11 31 Oct. 16 Dec. 1	WI WI WI WI SWE SWE SWE SWE SWE SWE SWE SWE WI WI	S S S S S S S S S S S S S S S	Serbu Serbu Serbu Serbu Kane Martin-Laf/Witt Martin-Laf/Witt Fichtel Orner/Witt Orner/Witt Orner/Witt Bauer Bauer		Electron Temp ELF Electron Trap Electron Temp Electron Temp Ionosphere Grenade Grenade Heavy Cosmic Rays Air Sample Air Sample Air Sample Air Sample Ionosphere Ionosphere	S S S S S S S S S S P X P X S S S
14.107 GI 14.108 GI 4.44 GI 8.14 GI 6.08 GI 4.65 GI 4.64 GI 8.18 GI 14.37 GI	1963 Mar. 8 April 9 23 July 2 20 Sep. 25 28 29 Dec. 13	WI WI WI WI WI WI WI WI WI	S S S S S S S S P	Whipple Kane Bauer Bauer Brace Serbu/Hirao Serbu/Hirao Bauer Whipple		Ionosphere D-Region Elec. Density Ionosphere Thermosphere Probe Ionosphere Ionosphere Ionosphere Ionosphere	P S S S S S S S S
6.01 UI 3.10 UI 6.02 UI 6.03 UI	1960 Mar. 16 16 June 15 Aug. 3	FC FC FC WI	S X S S	U/M Bourdeau U/M Bourdeau U/M Bourdeau U/M Bourdeau		Ionosphere Ionosphere Ionosphere Ionosphere	S X S S
6.04 UI 6.05 UI	1961 Mar. 26 Dec. 22	WI WI	S S	U/M Bourdeau U/M Wright		Ionosphere Ionosphere	S S
4.58 UI 6.03 UI	1963 April 3 July 10	WI WI	S S	Stanford/Bourdeau Stanford/Bourdeau		Ionosphere Ionosphere	S S

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14.36 DI	1963 Oct. 7	FC	S	BRL/Bordeau		Ionosphere	P
8.15 AI	1961 June 24	WI	S	CRPL/AIL-Jackson		Ionosphere	S
8.17 AI	Oct. 14	WI	S	Jackson		Ionosphere	S
8.16 AI	1962 Feb. 7	WI	S	Jackson		Ionosphere	X
3.12 CI	1960 Aug. 22	WI	X	GCA/Bordeau		Langmuir Probe	X
10.25 CI	Dec. 8	WI	S	GCA/Bordeau		Langmuir Probe	S
10.51 CI	1961 July 18	WI	S	GCA/Wright		Langmuir Probe	S
10.52 CI	Oct. 27	WI	S	GCA/Bordeau		Langmuir Probe	S
10.99 CI	1962 Nov. 7	WI	S	GCA/Bordeau		Ionosphere	S
10.108 CI	30	WI	S	GCA/Bordeau		Ionosphere	S
10.109 CI	Dec. 5	WI	S	GCA/Bordeau		Ionosphere	S
14.86 CI	1963 Feb. 27	WI	S	GCA/Bordeau		Ionosphere	S
14.87 CI	Mar. 28	WI	P	GCA/Bordeau		Ionosphere	S
14.88 CI	July 14	FC	P	GCA/Bordeau		Ionosphere	P
14.89 CI	20	FC	X	GCA/Bordeau		Eclipse Ionosphere	X
14.90 CI	20	FC	X	GCA/Bordeau		Eclipse Ionosphere	X
14.91 CI	20	FC	S	GCA/Bordeau		Eclipse Ionosphere	X
14.92 CI	20	FC	S	GCA/Bordeau		Eclipse Ionosphere	S
14.93 CI	20	FC	S	GCA/Bordeau		Eclipse Ionosphere	S
14.94 CI	20	FC	S	GCA/Bordeau		Eclipse Ionosphere	S
4.02 II	1959 Sep. 17	FC	S	DRTE-Jackson		Ionosphere	S
4.03 II	20	FC	P	DRTE-Jackson		Ionosphere	X
8.13 II	1961 June 15	WI	S	DRTE-Jackson		Antenna Test	S
4.79 II	1962 Nov. 16	WI	X	AUS/Cartwright		Ionosphere	X
4.80 II	Dec. 11	WI	X	AUS/Cartwright		Ionosphere	X
Ferdinand III	14	NOR	S	Kane		Ionosphere	S
Ferdinand II	14	NOR	S	Norway		NASA T/M only	S
4.96 II	1963 Mar. 12	WI	S	AUS/Cartwright		VLF	S
4.97 II	May 9	WI	S	AUS/Cartwright		VLF	S
Ferdinand V	Aug. 8	NOR	S	Kane		Ionosphere	X
Ferdinand IV	11	NOR	S	Kane		Ionosphere	S
4.93 II	Oct. 17	WI	S	France/Shea		Ionosphere	S
4.94 II	31	WI	S	France/Shea		Ionosphere	S

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SOLAR PHYSICS							
3.01 GS	1960 Mar. 1	WI	S	Hallam		Solar Study	X
3.02 GS	3	WI	S	Hallam		Solar Study	X
3.03 GS	April 27	WI	X	Hallam		Solar Study	X
3.04 GS	May 25	WI	X	Hallam		Solar Study	X
4.25 GS	1961 Sep. 30	WI	S	Behring		Solar Studies	S
4.77 GS	1963 July 20	WI	S	Hallam-Wolff		Solar Studies	X
4.78 GS	Oct. 1	WI	S	Hallam		Solar Studies	P
4.33 GS	15	WI	S	Money		Solar Studies	S
4.23 US	1962 June 24	WI	S	U. Colo./Lindsay		Sunfollower	P
4.21 US	Oct. 27	WI	S	Harvard/Lindsay		Solar	X
4.22 US	1963 Sep. 6	WI	S	Harvard/Lindsay		Solar Studies	S
4.61 AS	1963 June 20	WI	S	NRL/Packer		Coronagraph	P
4.62 AS	28	WI	S	NRL/Packer		Coronagraph	P
GALACTIC ASTRONOMY							
4.04 GG	1960 April 27	WI	P	Kupperian		Stellar Fluxes	P
4.05 GG	May 27	WI	S	Boggess		Stellar Fluxes	P
4.06 GG	June 24	WI	S	Boggess		Stellar Fluxes	S
4.11 GG	Nov. 22	WI	S	Stecher		Stellar Spectra	S
4.34 GG	1961 Mar. 31	WI	P	Boggess		Stellar Fluxes	P
9.01 GG	Sep. 18	AUS	S	Boggess		Stellar Photo	S
9.02 GG	Oct. 4	AUS	S	Boggess		Stellar Photo	S
9.03 GG	Nov. 1	AUS	S	Boggess		Stellar Photo	P
9.04 GG	20	AUS	S	Boggess		Stellar Photo	S
4.35 GG	1962 Feb. 7	WI	X	Stecher		Stellar Spectra	X
4.36 GG	Sep. 22	WI	S	Stecher		Stellar Photo	S
4.30 GG	1963 Mar. 28	WI	S	Boggess		Stellar Spectra	S
4.37 GG	July 19	WI	S	Stecher		Stellar Spectra	S
4.29 GG	23	WI	S	Stecher		Stellar Spectra	S
4.31 GG	Oct. 10	WI	X	Boggess		Stellar Spectra	X
4.54 UG	1962 Sep. 30	WI	S	U. of Wisc./Kupperian		Stellar Studies	S

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4.69 CG	1962 Sep. 30	WI	Lockhead/Dubin		Night Sky Mapping	S
4.70 CG	1963 Mar. 16	WI	Lockhead/Dapew		Stellar Spectra	S
11.02 UR	1962 Sep. 22	WI			Radio Astronomy	S
11.04 GB 11.05 GB	1961 Nov. 15 18	Pl. A Pl. A			BIOS 1 BIOS 1	X X
1.03 GP 1.05 GP 4.43 GP	1960 Sep. 15 24 Oct. 5	FC FC FC			AMPP AMPP AMPP	S P S
1.04 GP 1.06 GP	1961 May 17 19	FC FC			AMPP AMPP	P S
4.38 NP 4.39 NP 4.42 NP 4.40 NP	1961 Feb. 5 April 21 Aug. 12 Oct. 18	WI WI WI WI			Hydrogen Zerog Hydrogen Zerog Hydrogen Zerog Hydrogen Zerog	P S P S
4.41 NP 4.46 NP 4.28 NP 4.47 NP 4.27 NP	1962 Feb. 17 May 8 June 20 July 10 Nov. 18	WI WI WI WI WI			Hydrogen Zerog Radar Hydrogen Zerog Radar Hydrogen Zerog	S X P X S
4.66 NP 4.28 NP 4.32 NP	1963 May 14 June 19 Sep. 11	WI WI WI			Paraglider Hydrogen Zerog Hydrogen Zerog	X P S
4.71 UP 4.72 UP	1962 June 29 29	WI WI			Airglow Airglow	S S

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TEST AND SUPPORT							
2.01 GT 2.02 GT 2.03 GT 2.04 GT 2.05 GT 2.06 GT 8.01 GT	1959 May 14	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	S
	15	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	S
	15	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	X
	Aug. 7	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	X
	7	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	X
	7	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	S
	Dec. 22	WI	S	GSFC/NRL/DRTE		X248 Vib. Test	S
	1960						
8.02 GT 4.01 GT 4.12 GT 4.10 GT 5.01 GT 3.28 GT 5.02 GT 3.29 GT	Jan. 26	WI	S	GSFC/NRL/DRTE		X248 Vib. Test	S
	Feb. 16	WI	X	Medrow		Rocket Test	X
	Mar. 25	WI	S	Medrow		Rocket Test	S
	April 23	WI	S	Medrow		Rocket Test	S
	July 22	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
	Aug. 9	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
	Oct. 18	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
	Nov. 3	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
3.36 GT 5.03 GT 10.49 GT 4.19 GT 12.01 GT 14.01 GT 4.20 GT 14.02 GT	1961 Jan. 17	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
	19	WI	X	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	P
	Mar. 15	WI	S	Sorgnit		Cajun Fin Test	S
	April 14	WI	S	Russell		Attitude Control	P
	May 2	WI	S	U/M-Spencer		Cone Test	S
	25	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
	June 26	WI	S	Russell		Attitude Control	P
	Aug. 16	WI	S	Sorgnit		Rocket Test	S
4.68 GT 10.69 GT 10.70 GT 4.48 GT 4.60 GT	1962 Jan. 13	WI	S	Russell		Attitude Control	S
	Mar. 1	WI	X	Dann		Water Launch	S
	2	WI	S	Dann		Water Launch	S
	May 25	WI	S	Pressly		Sea Recovery	S
	Aug. 8	WI	P	Russell		Attitude Control	P
	1963 April 8	WI	X	Sorgnit		ACS Test	X
16.01 GT 4.87 GT 14.111 GT	June 17	WI	S	Russell		Attitude Control	S
	Oct. 31	WI	S	Williams		Vibration Test	S

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4.88 GT 14.28 GT	1964 Jan. 28 Feb. 12	WI WI			Attitude Control Rocket Fin Test	S S
NUMBER OF VEHICLES FIRED 1959 - 1963 AEROBEE 100 14 ARCON 6 NIKE ASP 27 AEROBEE 150 20 AEROBEE 150A 53 IRIS 4 AEROBEE 300/300A 8 JAVELIN 18 SKYLARK 4 NIKE CAJUN 104 JOURNEYMAN 5 SPECIAL 1 NIKE APACHE 52 ASTROBEE 1500 1						

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